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Floodplain Workshop Scheduled Next Month in Hailey

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The Idaho Department of Water Resources will hold a workshop next month in Hailey to provide valuable information to local floodplain managers, government officials, private developers and landowners about building in a floodplain.

The workshop is intended to help people become more familiar with the Federal Emergency Management Agency's minimum standards for floodplain ordinances and how to comply with them. IDWR is the state agency that coordinates the National Flood Insurance Program in Idaho and provides training and technical assistance to cities and counties for all needs related to NFIP and its flood damage prevention ordinances.

For more information including registration forms, contact Scott Van Hoff, NFIP coordinator, Idaho Department of Water Resources, 208-287-4929.

Hailey Workshop:

Date: Tuesday, October 18, 2005

Location: Community Campus, Room 301-02

1050 Fox Acres Road, Hailey

Time: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.